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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

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A RESOLUTION memorializing John Bierman.

*Whereas, John Bierman, Democratic Party chairman for 32
years and a member of the Lake County Election Board since
1997, died February 16, 2004, at the age of 76;*

*Whereas, John Bierman was an institution in Lake County
politics, having served as a precinct committeeman for more
than 40 years and as the Griffith Democratic town chairman;*

Whereas, John Bierman retired from U.S. Steel with 20

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years of service and served as a negotiator for United Steelworkers Local 1010 in East Chicago;

Whereas, John Bierman was a member of St. Mary Church of Griffith, a member of Griffith American Legion Post 66, and Griffith VFW Post 9982;

Whereas, John Bierman was an honest, genuine person who was always ready to defend his beliefs;

Whereas, John Bierman spent several decades of his life in service to the Democratic Party and the citizens of Griffith and has influenced countless young politicians through his advice and counsel; and

Whereas, John Bierman touched the lives of many people, he will be greatly missed: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to
- 2 express its sincerest sympathy to the family of John Bierman and its
- 3 gratitude for the many contributions John Bierman made to the
- 4 Democratic Party and the state of Indiana.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6 Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to his two
- 7 daughters, Pamela S. Bierman of Merrillville and Jackie (Sherman)
- 8 Griffith of Maryland; his two sons, John E. (Joellyn) Bierman Jr. of
- 9 Griffith and Gene V. (Marcia) Bierman of Highland; his eight
- 10 grandchildren: Lorie, Michael, Timothy, Madelyne, Kellyn, Kristin, Brett
- 11 and Trent; and his one great-grandchild, Alexandra Marie Paulk.

